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SUBJECT: JORDAN: DEMARCHE ON THE U.S. CANDIDATE FOR THE UN
COMMITTEE AGAINST TORTURE

REF: SECSTATE 287167

1. PolCouns delivered dip note, CV, and ref talking points on the candidacy of Ms. Felice Gaer for re-election to the UN Committee Against Torture October 20 to Ali al-Ayed, Director of Foreign Minister Muasher's Private Office. Ayed promised to study the U.S. request and provide a considered response later, noting that Jordan usually supports U.S. candidates for positions in international organizations and agencies.
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